## LOCAL NEWS.

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW.

CHRIST CHURCH—Service and Communion at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. F. Girault.
St. Paul's Church—Service and Communion at 11 a. m. by Rev. Dr. Norton.

GRACE CHURCH-No service. St. Mary's Church-Mass at 7 and 11 a. m. and Vespers at 4 p. m. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Sermon at 11 a. m., by Rev. Mr. Waller.
SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sermon in

the morning and at night, by Rev. Dr. Bullock.
METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Sermon in the morning and at night, by Rev. Mr. Hemenway. METH. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH—Sermon in the morning and at night, by Rev. Dr. Hough.
МЕТН. PROT. CHURCH—No service.

BAPTIST CHURCH-Service in the morning and at night by Rev. Mr. Ryland.
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOC'S-Prayer nesting in the First Presb. Church at four p. Bethel, Prince street dock, at 8 p. m. Jail services at 2 p. m. Alms House services at 2½ cleck p. m. During the week there will be daily prayer meetings in the rooms of Association. tion at 5 p. m. Suburban prayer meeting will be held every Thursday night at 8 o'clock at Vilage Chapel. An open-air meeting will be held the corner of King and St. Asaph streets, -morrow evening, at 61 o'clock. GERMAN LUTHERAN-Service at 11 a. m. and sp.m., at the rooms of the Young Men's Christ-

OUR SCHOOLS.-September has come, and the boys and girls, wearied with their long vaeation, are waiting with anxious expectation for the sound of the bells which will summon them again to study. In the "good old times," when vacations were short, and the rattan and the birch were always at hand, the first Monday of September used to be a black day in the youthful calendar, but with more improved methods of teaching, the reluctance to attend school has disappeared, and but few there are who don't look forward, with pleasure, to the meeting with their kind teachers and their lively companions. Indeed, few things are more worthy of remark than the almost entire cessation of truancy, once so prevalent a fault in our Alexandria schools. Such a thing is now scarcely known in private schools, of which it was once the bane. and the City Superintendent, to whom all such cases are referred from the public schools, tells us that out of the thousand children attending them last year, not more than two or three were reported to nim on that account. This is, indeed, a hapby change, for it proves that our schools have ceased to be bugbears to the young, and have

children delight to be. The Public Schools re-open on Monday as tollows :

become, as they ought to be, places where

Washington, under the charge of Theodore H. Ficklin A. M., assisted by Miss Virginia E. Clarkson and Miss M. Ellen Price, at the old school house on Washington street near Wilkes. Custis, under Edgar E. Harper, assisted ate style. Rev. Mr. Loewensohn will continue by Miss Sallie Yates and Miss Mary J. Walsh, in charge of the congregation. at Harlow's Building, N. W. corner of Came-

ron and Royal streets.

Lee, under Miss Levy K. Shay, assisted by Miss Jennie K. Shay, at 183 King street, below Columbus

Peabody, under Miss Margaretta Law, as-isted by Miss Phoebe A. Littlefield, at the female Free School house next to the Orphan

All these schools are for white children, and those who have obtained permits would do well to have their children present at 9 o'clock on Mouday, as some grades may be overcrowded and those who are late may be excluded. It should be remembered too that permits are to be presented to the Principals, even though they do not teach, as in the case of Custis and Peabody schools, in the same house with their asistants. No permits will be granted on Monday, as the entrance of pupils from time to time luring the examination would greatly disturb the teachers.

For colored children there are two schools, Snowden, for boys, under the charge of Wm. Powell assisted by Miss Sarah A. Gray and Miss Harriet B. Douglass, which is kept at the school house on Pitt street, between Gibton and Franklin, and Hallowell, for girls, ander Mrs. Matilda A. Madden, assisted by Mrs. Jane A. Crouch and Miss Carrie Claggett. which will be opened, this year, in the school house on Alfred street, between Princess and Oronoco. The same rules apply to these schools as to those for white children.

As to schools not directed by public authoriiv. Alexandria can boast of both many and excellent ones; her superior advantages in point of accessibility and health having attracted many young persons from the surrounding country, and even from distant States. To aid ist of those whose announcements are to be found in our advertising columns. On Monday next, the 4th inst., the following

will open : St. John's Academy, Richard L. Carne, A. M., Principal; 33d session. School rooms, Odd Fellows' Hall, North Columbus street, near Queen. Boarding house, 1 Prince street.

Alexandria Academy, John S. Beach, Principal, 14th session. School rooms, Friends Meeting House, S. W. corner of Wolfe and St. Asaph streets. Wm. H. Greenwell, Friendship Engine House, Alfred street between King and Prince.

German-English School, 49 South Alfred

Col. S. King Shay, 87 South Pitt street. Mrs. George, 127 Duke street. St. Mary's Academy for Young Ladies, Sister M. Leocadia, Superior of the Sisters of the Holy Cross, Principal. School buildings on

North Fairfax street, between Cameron and On Monday, the 11th inst., H. F. Henry, S. E. corner of King and Alfred streets, 12th

Mt. Vernon Institute for Young Ladies, Miss M. A. Roach, Principal: 12 South Wash-

ington street. On Tuesday, the 12th inst., Miss E. C. Ad-

day scholars received. On Monday, the 18th inst.. Miss Ellen Mark, 214 King street, the oldest private school in the city. Mrs. Robert A. Castleman, 42 South

Washington street. On Wednesday, the 20th inst. Alexandria High School, Charles S. Taylor and John S. Blackburn, Principals, 3d Session.

School rooms and boarding house North Washington street, between Cameron and Queen. Charles L. Powell. Queen street, near Co-

Miss Powell's Select School for Young Ladies. N. E. corner of Duke and Washington streets.

Misses Greene for girls, at No. 16 South Fairfax street.

On Monday, the 25th inst. Belle Haven Institute, Miss E. B. Garber and Miss A. L. Tebbs, Principals. School buildings, Queen street above Pitt. Miss Belle Smith, Washington street, near

Cameron. On Tuesday, the 26th.

Miss Hunter, 123 Cameron street. Besides these, there are to be found in the columns of the Gazette, the advertisements of the following excellent colleges and academies ocated elsewhere.

Coombe Cottage Seminary for Young Ladies, Fairfax C. H. Va., Mrs. H. M. Baker, and

Mrs. H. C. Fairfax, Principals; opens, September 11th. Rappahannock Male Academy, Washington, Va., C. H. Barksdale, A. M., Principal: opens Sept. 20th.

Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., Gen. G. W. C. Lee, President; opens

Sept. 21st. Episcopal High School of Virginia, Fairfax county, Va., three miles from this city, L. M. Blackford, A. M. Principal; opens Sept. 27th. Randolph Macon College, Ashland, Va., Rev. James A. Duncan, D.D., President:

opens Sept. 28th. Stanmore School for Girls, Sandy Spring. Md., Mrs. Caroline H. Miller. Principal: 5th Session opens October 1st.

Fulford Female Seminary, James S. Hallowwell, Principal, Sandy Springs, Md., opens 3d

PLAYING ELIJAH WITH BAD SUCCESS.—A man named George Troupe has just made as decided a failure in an attempt to play the part of Elijah as was ever made before. Thirteen days ago, when Mr. James Atkinson re-opened his wheelright shop, he told Troupe, who had been living with him for the last twenty years, that he wanted him to go to work again, but Troupe responded that he had promised the Lord not to work for man any more, and that the Lord had promised to provide for him, and dressing himself in the clothes he usually wore on Sunday, bid Mr. Atkinson's family good bye and walked away, taking with him, however, nothing except the clothes upon his person.-From this time, nothing was heard from him until late yesterday evening, when a grave digger named Waddey informed Mr. Atkinson that he had found him lying in the Presbyterian burying ground starved almost to death and so weak that he could not crawl to the spring. Mr. A. at once went to his relief and brought him back again to his house, and under the kind and attentive treatment he is receiving there, he will probably soon recover his strength. He had been where he was found for the last twelve days, during which time he had eaten two peaches and a pear, but the crows, though they flew over him regularly every morning and evening, never once brought him any bread or flesh.

DEDICATION OF THE HEBREW SYNAGOGUE. -A large and attentive congregation was present at the dedication of the new Hebrew Synagogue on Washington street, yesterday even-

ing. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Deutsh, of Baltimore, assisted by Rev. Mr. Loewensohn of this city, in the Hebrew and German languages, and were of the most interesting character. The four holy scrolls were carried around the circuit of the aisles, followed by twenty little girls dressed in white and adorned with wreaths and pink scarfs, and deposited in the sanctuary. Singing and reading followed, after which Rev. Dr. Deutsh delivered an able address.

At the conclusion of the services most of those present repaired to Harmonie Hall where a delicious collation was enjoyed.

The new Synagogue is a very pretty building and has been fitted up in a neat and appropri-

MAYOR'S OFFICE. -There was not a single case at the Mayor's office yesterday, and this morning the only parties brought up were two merchants who had forgotten to take out licenses as agents for the sale of sewing machines

MAGISTRATE'S AND CORONER'S OFFICE. - NO. 7 South Royal street has been taken by Justice Samuel Beach for his office, and in future all the Coroner's cases and such Magistrate's cases as may come before him will be tried there. A warrant was issued for the arrest of John Saunders, charged with stealing iron from the

A. & F. R. R. NIGHT REPORT.-Night clear and cool. There were no disturbances in any quarter of the city, nor any arrests. Neither prisoners nor lodgers were at the station house

BADLY HURT .- Mr. Martin Powers while engaged last night in loading timber on the cars of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad, near the "Brown Shed " was caught between a bumper and a pile of lumber, and hurt so badly that at first his injuries were supposed to be serious. His condition this moruing, however, had improved so much that no anxiety is felt concerning his recovery.

THE MARKET, this morning, was a very full one, and there was a large attendance of buyers. All kinds of vegetables and fruits in season. were abundant. The prices depended much on quality-and there were no changes from last Saturday's market. Butter 30a45cts. for fresh. The butchers had excellent fresh meats at former prices.

ROBBING GRAVE YARDS.—The urns and vases and the flowers they contained, and growparents in a choice between them, we annex a ing shrubs, have been stolen from several lots in the grave yard of the M. E. Church, South, during the last few days. The lots in which the depredations are most noticeable are those belonging to Messrs. Samuel Tenneson, C. Schafer, and A. D. Warfield.

> HEARD FROM .- The four boys whose destine departure from this city was noticed in the Gazette a few days ago, have been heard from in Cumberland, Maryland, which place they reached on a canal boat. Their parents and friends have telegraphed to friends in that town to detain them there until they can

> FULFORD SEMINARY .- The Fulford Female Seminary at Sandy Spring, Md., advertised in our columns, is conducted by James S. Hallowell, who formerly for several years was the principal of a successful female boarding school in this place, and whose abilities as a teacher were recognized and appreciated.

BRACKISH WATER. - The water in the Potomac, has, in consequence of the late and prevailing drought in the country, drained by its upper tributaries, become brackish as far up nets fished in this neighborhood-a rare and unchanged. Corn a shade firmer. occurrence.

from this port during the week ending to-day, were by the American Coal Company, 1533 tons, by the Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Company 503 tons.

PROPERTY SALE. - The property at the upper end of King street, lately occupied by Dr. E. B. Addison, the house and eight acres of land, has been sold by Beek & Kerby, land agents, to Mr. John Baggott for \$5,000.

NEWTON SMITH'S CASE .- The case of Newton Smith, now in jail in this place, under sentence of death for murder, will be called up at the November term of the Court of Appeals.

Personal. - Maj. John B. Stannard, former Mayor of Culpeper, was in this city to-day looking as hale and hearty as he used to.

# Summer Clothing.

Great inducements in Summer Clothing are now being offered by S. BLONDHEIM, corner King and Fairfax streets, he being determined to close out his stock without regard to cost. His stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods is always large, and satisfaction is guaranteed to all who Loudoun School, Middleburg, Va., V. Dab- may favor him with their patronage.

STITCHING AND ALL KINDS OF SEW-ING neatly and expeditiously done at the HOWE MACHINE SALES ROOM, No. 105

King street, opposite the Marshall House.

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E. S. FLEMING, Agent, Alexa. sep 1-tf

# TELFGRAPH NEWS.

DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

### FOREIGN NEWS.

VERSAILLES, Sept. 1.-The acceptance of Thiers' Presidency by the Assembly is not because the Assembly were content with Thiers on his own terms, or afraid of his resignation, but because they could get no one else to take his place. Due d' Aumale's final refusal determined that it would be right to vote for the bill. MacMahon, Changarnier and President drevy were asked, but all refused. Grevy declared himself more of a republican than Thiers, and the others said they were unwilling

to become a pretext for disorders. DUBLIN, Sept. 2.—An amnesty meeting will be held in Phoenix Park to morrow, (Sunday) and from present indications it will be a monster demonstration of the people of Dublin in favor of merey and pardon of the imprisoned

Fenians. MADRID, Sept. 2. - Advices from the French frontier state that the Carlists have been ordered to report to their leaders on the 8th inst., and be ready for arising against the Govern-

ment on the 10th inst.

Berlin, Sept. 2.—The anniversary of the surrender of the Emperor Napoleon and the army at Sedan was celebrated throughout Germany to-day by festivities of a patriotic character.

The Bayarian Chamber of Representatives has been convoked for September 26. LONDON, Sept. 2 .- The boiler exploded on board a bark at Cardiff yesterday. The cap-tain and engineer were blown overboard and

The number of emigrants who sailed from Liverpool during the month of August was four thousand greater than for the same month of any previous years.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The Anna, bound to Copenhagen, has been wrecked and all on board were lost.

### From China.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—The China mail steamer Alaska arrived last evening in 36 days from HongKong and 26 days from Yokohama. Among her cargo is included 55,645 packages of teas, the largest quantity ever landed from

one vessel in an American port. Political affairs in China and Japan are generally quiet. In the city of Canton rumors had been industriosuly circulated that the Europeans intended poisoning the Chinese, causing much exasparation among the natives, but measures were taken to promptly crush any uprising of the people.

Great damage has been done by a flood in the vicinity of Canton. The British war steamer Ringdove had returned from Corea with two Englishmen captured by the Coreans from the wreck of the Chusan. They had been kindly treated. The German reported by the Chinese as having been captured at the same time was found to have left with the Chinese, and it is supposed that the Chinese murdered him and invented the story of his capture by the Coreans to con-

ceal their own crime. Shanghai papers publish an authenticated letter from the Corean Government to the conciliatory to the last degree, and had it been received by the commander at the time it was intended to reach him, the subsequent "blood-The letter shed would never have occurred. was delayed for a few hours and in the mean-

while the Wachusett sailed without it. The German iron schooner Valador has been wrecked in the Corean Straits. The crew cscaped in boats and were picked up after suffuring great hardships.

Japanese politics were quiet.

The tea crops are abundant. The silk product is from fifty to one hundred per cent greater than for the last year and of superior quality, but high prices check

# From New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The grand jury yesterday found bills of indictment for murder in the third degree against Jacob H. Vanderbilt, President of the Staten Island Ferry company, James H. Braisted, superintendent, and Henry Robinson, engineer. An indictment for manslaughter in the fourth degree was presented against John K. Mathews, U. S. inspector of boilers. Mr. Mathews has not yet been arrested, but no doubt the action of the grand jury was communicated to him, and it is probable the requisite bail will be promptly furnished.

A duel was fought on Long Island, yesterday between two well-known Italian gentlemen-General Fardeli, and Signo Cauzi. Fardeli was the challenger, claiming that he had been insulted by Cauzi in a speech at the recent Italian festival. The weapons used were sabres. Fardeli received a severe wound in the shoulder; and the fight necessarily ended.

An unknown man was brutally murdered last night in 127th st. by Edward King and Edward Valentine, who were arrested.

There is no further evidence yet in the Rosenzweig case. Specie shipments \$207,085.

Fire. MERIDIAN, Miss., September 2. - The square bounded by Front, Johnson, Rhodes and Commerce streets was burned this morning, except the savings bank building. Loss \$100,000. The houses were mostly wooden buildings, and there was very little insurance. A large por-

tion of the goods were saved. The Markets. London, Sept. 2, 1.30 p. m. - Consols closed

at 93? for both. Bonds quiet. Paris, Sept. 2 .- Rentes 56 francs 95 ceu-NEW YORK, Sept. 2 .- Stocks strong and ac-

tive. Va. 6's, 62; new, 691. Gold steady at as this city, and, crabs are now caught in the 123. Flour dull and declining. Wheat quiet BALTIMORE, Sept. 2.-Va. 6's, old, 52 bid, 23 asked. Cotton nominal. Flour dull and COAL SHIPMENTS. - The shipments of coal held firm. Wheat dull; choice white 150a155; fair to prime 130a145; amber good to choice 145a150; good red to prime 130a140; common to fair 110a125; Ohio and Indiana 130a137; Pennsylvania 135a143. Corn firmer; yellow south-

> Mrs. Teresa Perkins disappeared from her home in Lowell, Mass, on Wednesday and canal. It bears two severe scalp wounds. Au inquest will be held. The deceased was 30 years old.

AD- The annual meeting of the stockholders for the "Alexandria Co-operative Building Association" will be held at their hall on Tuesday evening, the 5th instant, at 7½ o'clock, at which time an election of officers to serve for the ensuing year will be held. GEO. R. SHINN, Sect y.

TE FIRST WARD RADICALS.—A meeting of the Republican Club of the 1st Ward will be held at So'clock next Tuesday night in the colored school house on south Pitt street. sep 3-2t TTEIL GOODS BY THE YARD.

These goods are of choice shades and beautiful qualities. Also Black Figured Bobinet and Black Crape Veils—some very superior.

sep 2 ROBT, L. WOOD WANTED-A MAN AND WOMAN, or either, on a farm, near town. Most be of good character and competent. Call on Mr. Graves at the Toll Bar, on the A. & W. Turnsep 2-2t\* | \$1.50 per dozen.

## Local Brevities.

The sidewalk around the cellar door in front of the store of Mr. Gentzberger, corner of King and St. Asaph streets, caved in yesterday evening, carrying with it Mr. Samuel Kronheimer, who was standing upon it. but fortunately not injuring him.

A small party of excursionists arrived here from Leesburg this morning. Some went to Mount Vernon, some to Washington, and some remained here. They returned to their homes this evening.

Mr. Cluss, the architect of the new Market House, will be in this city on Monday and explain the plans now on exhibition at the Audi-

tor's office. James Young, the colored man whose skull was fractured by Joe Jarbow, also colored at Fishtown some days since, it is now said, will recover.

Maj. John Green, while showing some land to a gentleman, yesterday, was thrown from a buggy and had his arm sprained. The buggy was considerably damaged.

There was a meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company last night, but no business | Languages, Drawing and Painting form extra worthy of special notice was transacted.

The whirligig on the top of the barber's pole at the corner of King and St. Asaph street, was stolen last night.

The fishing on Sandy Bar, just below Fort Foot, is said to be excellent. Rock and white perch are caught there in large numbers. Advices from below report no vessels in the

The September term of the County Court will commence, and probably end, on Monday. Sportsmen are now enjoying themselves in the marshes in this neighborhood.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

On Marriage .- Essays for Young Men on great social evils and abuses, which interfere with marriage, and ruin the happiness of thousands-with sure means of relief for the erring and unfortunate, diseased and debilitated. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge.
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south Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Philadelphia, Pa., sep 2-d&tw3m VIRGINIA:-At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 7th day of August, 1371 :- The

Board of Public Works, of Virginia, plaintiffs against Seldin, Withers, & Co., John A. English, The Columbia College, a body corporate of the District of Columbia, Thomas R. Love, administrator de bonis non of Maria M. Fitzhugh, deceased, W. R. Millan, administrator de bonis non of Andrew Fitzhugh, deceased, John A. Spillman, executor of Thomas F. Withers, deceased, John B. Withers, administrator of Walter Withers, deceased, and Samuel N. Garwood, administrator, with the will annexed, of John Withers, deceased, defendants.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the release of a deed of trust, executed by John Withers to John A. English, dated November 30, 1854, securing debts to certain creditors there

in mentioned, as constituting no actual lien upon the property described in it.

The defendant, the Columbia College, not having entered its appearance and given security, according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by plaintif's affidavit that it is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order commander of the United States steamer and do what is necessary to protect its interest in Wachusett when that ship went up the river this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county.

Catalogues sent on application to L. M. BLACKFORD, M. A.. Principal, Lock Box 13, Alexandria, Va.

Residents of Alexandria supplied at Entered to the county of the county o in 1868 to enquire after the crew of the ship | with inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a news-General Sherman. The letter is friendly and paper published in the city of Alexandria, once A copy, teste: GEO. C. SEATON, Cl'k. S. Ferguson Beach, p. q. sep 2-law4w

DISSOLUTION. Alexandria, Va., Sept. 1, 1871. The firm of PRICE WILLIS & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, occasioned by the withdrawal of M. H. G. WILLIS. The business will be conducted hereafter under

the firm name of PRICE, & CO. W. L. KEN-DRICK having an interest in the business as heretofore.

Price & Co., are authorized to settle the affairs of said concern of Price, Willis & Co. IN RETIRING from the firm of Price, Willis & Co., with which I have been connected for the last four years, it affords me pleasure to endorse the abo e named firm of Price & Co. se reliable and business men. Very respectfully, sep 2 M. H. G. WILLIS.

THE MISSES GREENE will open a SCHOOL ▲ FOR GIRLS, on the 20th of September, at No. 16 south Fairfax street. Pupils will be carefully instructed. Apply at No. 16 south Fairfax

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For Cloaks, Suits and Trimmings.
sep 2 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

English corduror, in fancy and plain styles, at reduced prices.

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Depository of the School Books for the Public Schools of Virginia.

A full stock of all the books authorized by the State Board on hand and for sale at State prices.
French's Educational Bulletin for the Fall
term of 1871, containing a complete list of all
School Books published, with price, name of publisher and much other valuable information

relating to schools and school requisites, is now ready, and will be sent free to any address on It is conceded that No. 95 King street, is the headquarters for everything in the way of Books or School Furniture required in public or pri vate schools.

Special rates to Principals of Academies and Teachers. Send for price list.

I am now making large additions to my stock of BLANK BOOKS, Journals, Ledgers, Day Books and Cash Books—Cap, Crown Demi and Medium—all styles of binding. A large assortment of the Minor Blank Books, down to the smallest Pass Book, constantly on hand. New lot of Sheriff's Books, just made; three sizes; the best book of the kind in the State.

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A full line of FLAT PAPER for printing; Medium, Demi, Folio, Post and Cap; Letter and Note Heads, Bill Heads, Bill Paper, Legal Cap, Foolscap, Letter, Note and Billet; all prices. The cheapest paper in the market. A hundred thousand ENVELOPES at manu-

facturers' prices. Initial Paper and Envelopes, in boxes; seven different styles. The two new styles, "Oriental" and "Offered and Accepted," are of the very best paper. Mailed to any part of the country on reern 70a72; mixed western 69a70. Oats firm at 45a50. The National Initial by mail, 30c per box; French Paper 45c; Rose Tint 35c. Copying Presses and Books, Drawing Papers,

Whatman's Drawing Paper in rolls, Drawing Instruments, Ivory Scales, Finest Carmine Ink. Pocket Books of all sizes and grades, Bankers' her dead body was afterwards found in the Cases, English, French and American Writing and Copying Inks, the best in the world; fifty different styles of Steel Pens; Fine Gold Pens, all sizes; Paper Weights, Bill Files, Rulers, Portfolios, Desks, Backgammon Boards, Chess Boards and Men, and a thousand and one other articles usually found in a first-class bookstore.
NEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES or REVIEWS

During the temporary suspension of the run-ning of the cars down 7th street, (owing to the WEIL GOODS BY THE YARD.

Black, Green, Blue and Lead-colored Berege; Blue, Lavender, Green and Black Twist Silk.—
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EDUCATIONAL.

WM. H. GREENWELL'S SCHOOL FOR BOYS.
The duties of this School will be resumed on Monday, September 4th, at the Friendship Engine House, on Alfred steeet, between King and Prince. The course embraces the Senior, Intermediate and Junior studies. Book-keeping will also be taught, if desired, to advanced pupils.-Bills payable by the quarter in advance. For the charges of tuition, &c., apply at No. 44, Duke street, corner Water, or at the school room.

aug 28-2w MISS POWELL'S SELECT SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.
The next session of this School will begin on Wednesday, September 20th. 1871. Circulars can be obtained at French's Bookstore, or after the 15th of September, on application to Miss Powell, at her residence, corner of Washington and Duke streets. aug 28-colm

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY, North Fairfax st. North Fairfax street,

Alexandria, Virginia.
Conducted by the SISTERS OF HOLY
CROSS, will reopen Monday, 4th of September.
The course of instruction is most thorough in English, the Languages, Music, &c.
Board and tuition per annum \$200. Music,

charges. For full particulars, address aug 18-1m Si ter M. LEOCADIA, Superior. BOARDING SCHOOL.

Miss E. C. ADAM will receive pupils on Tuesday, September 12th.
For girls, twelve years of age, the expenses of the entire year will be \$190; over that age \$260 for board, tuition, (including Music and Languages) washing, fuel, &c. No day scholars received. Some reduction for several scholars from the same family or neighborhood. Address Miss ELIZA C. ADAM, Alexandria, Virginia.

aug 12-1m RAPPAHANNOCK MALE ACADEMY,
Washington, Va.
The session of this Academy commences on

the 20th of September and closes on the 20th of June, 1872. Students will be prepared for the University of Virginia and other Colleges, or for the business pursuits of life.

Terms: Tuition \$50; one half payable in advance, and the remainder on the 1st of February

The whole cost of board and tuition will not exceed \$190 for the session of nine months. For further information apply for circulars to Mr. Jno. G. Lane, or to Mr. M. Miller, Washington, Va., or to the Principal, care Col. C. R. Barksdale, Richmond, Va.

C. H. BARKSDALE, A. M.,
U. of Va., Principal.

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The next session of this Institution will commence on the third Thursday (21st) of September, 1871, and continue without intermission until the fourth Thursday in June, 1872. The instruction embraces thorough Classical,

Literary and Scientific courses, together with the Professional departments of Law and Engi-The entire expenses for the session of nine months need not exceed \$200 or \$325, according to the price of Board. Arrangements are also made for messing, by which students may reduce their expenses to \$250 per session.

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Fairfax county, Virginia.
The 28th Annual Session begins SEPTEM-BER 27th, 1871, and ends June 26th, 1872. Terms: \$330 per session.

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The 33d annual session will begin on Monday,
September 3d. Catalogues can be obtained by
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The advantages claimed for this School are, the great experience of the Principal, who is as-sisted by an excellent corps of teachers; its comprehensive course of study, and the thoroughness of its examinations; the possession of a large and valuable philosophical and chemical apparatus, an extensive cabinet of minerals, and a carefully selected School Library of a thousand volumes,

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the system of teaching.
RICHARD L. CARNE, A. M., aug 1-2awtS3 Principal. BELLE HAVEN INSTITUTE, Alexandria, Virginia.
The 13th Annual Session will commence Sep-

tember 25, 1871. For Circulars, containing particulars, address
Miss E. B. GARBER, or
jy 31-eo3m Miss A. L. TEBBS, box 111. jy 31-eo3m

LOUDOUN SCHOOL, MIDDLEBURG, Loudoun county, Virginia. V. DABNEY..... zer Circulars sent on application. Loudoun co., jy 26-eetS15

# A LEXANDRIA HIGH SCHOOL.

BOARDING SCHOOL FOR BOYS. The Third Annual Session of this School will commence on the third Wednesday in September. In this School, Youths are prepared for College or the practical business of life. Send for Catalogue, giving ample references and full particulars. Address either of the Principals, at Alexandria, Va. Day scholars will be received CHARLES S. TAYLOR. JOHN S. BLACKBURN. as heretofore.

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ASHLAND, VIRGINIA.

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P Sandy Springs, P. O., Md.

The exercises of this school will be resumed on the 2d of October next, but the pupils will be expected on the 2d. For particulars, please apply for a circular.

JAMES S. HALLOWELL,

Proprietor and Principal.
Sandy Spring, Md., sep 1-1m\*

GERMAN ENGLISH SCHOOL, No. 49 Alfred street,

Alexandria, Va.

The next annual session of this school will commence on the 4th of September. aug 30-2w S. KING SHAY will open a PRIVATE

Pitt street, on Monday, Sept. 4th. aug 29-1m C. L. POWELL'S SCHOOL FOR BOYS. The next annual session of this School will commence on the third Wednesday in Sept.

Terms: \$10, \$12.50 or \$15 per quarter, ac-

cording to the age or advancement of the pupilpayable in advance.

aug 26-2awlm CHARLES L. POWELL.

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Junior Classes. 6 00 Greek and Modern Languages at Professors charges. Applications for Circulars, containing further

information, can be made at the school-house, aug 25-1m JOHN S. BEACH, Principal. MISS MARK will receive her pupils on Monday, September 18th. Competent teachers will be employed to meet the wants of the School. Terms as usual for instruction in English. Music and Languages at Professor charges. Particulars given upon application to the Principal, at 214 King street, between Co-

lumbus and Alfred. aug 24-eolm MISS HUNTER will reopen school on September 25th, at 123 Camerom Street.

aug 23-1m STANMORE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

SANDY SPRING,
Montgomery County, Maryland.
The fifth annual session of this School will commence on the first of October next. Terms: Two hundred and twenty-five dollar-(\$225) for the school year. The Languages, Mu-For Circulars apply to ROBT. H. MILLER, or to CAROLINE H. MILLER, Principal, Sandy Spring P. O., Md. Sandy Spring, Md., aug 22-co3w

H. F. HENRY'S SCHOOL. This SCHOOL FOR BOYS, on the conthead corner of King and Alfred streats, will communicate Tenth Annual Session on Monday, the Hts.

of September.

The course of study is that of a liberal English, Mathematical and Classical education. The terms of tuition, depending upon the branches taught, range from \$6 to \$15 per quar-

ter, in advance.

N. B.—The school room will be open from the 4th of September, in order that pupils, who have not heretofore attended the school, may be examined and classified. nug 21-tf MISS BELLE SMITH will resume her M SCHOOL, on Washington street, near Cameron, on the 25th of September. Applica-

tions received at 241 King street. aug 21-eo4w MRS. ROBT. A. CASTLEMAN will re-sume the duties of her SCHOOL FOR GIRLS on September 18th.

Pupils carefully instructed. Number of boarding pupils limited, and under the careful supervision of the Principal.

The scholastic year is divided into two terms, beginning, respectively, September 18th and February 5th.

Board, washing and lights, per term, \$109; tuttion, \$14, \$16, \$20 and \$25, according to the advancement of the pupil. Music, Languages, Drawing, &c., at Profeseors' rates. Address the Principal, at her residence, No. 42 south Washington street, or through the P.O., Alexandria, Va. aug 15-2aw6w

MOUNT YERNON INSTITUTE, No. 12 S. Washington st. Scholastic duties will be resumed on the sec-

For Prospectus apply to the Principal, aug 15-1m Miss M. A. ROACH, Box 379.

and Monday in September.

### TO BUILDERS. PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING BUIL-

DINGS ON THE MARKET SQUARE, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Proposals will be received by the undersigned until SATURDAY, September 9, 1871, at three o'clock p. m., for furnishing material and performing the work required in the erection of a Market House, Court House, Offices, &c., &c., authorized by an act of the City Council; approved June 29, 1871, and in accordance with plans and specifications of Adolph Clusa, Architect which can be seen at the Auditor's office. tect, which can be seen at the Auditor's office, on and after Monday, Afigust 27th.

The proposals will be opened and considered

by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and he award made as soon as practicable The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids, if it be deemed for the interest of

the city to do so. No proposal will be entertained from any p son who is not known to be a practical builder. The proposals must be made by filling out the blanks, to be obtained at the Auditor's office, and they should be enclosed in a sealed covelope, endorsed "Proposals for the erection of buildings on the Market square, Alexandria, Va.," and addressed to ROBERT S. ASHBY.

Secretary of Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
HUGH LATHAM, Mayor.
GEO. R. SHINN, Prest. C. C.
ROBERT S. ASHBY, Auditor.
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aug 25-td Comm'rs. Sinking Fund.

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